Tourism projects in Andhra Pradesh

1026. SHRI NANDI YELLAIAH: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) the details of tourism projects proposed and sanctioned for Andhra Pradesh during the Tenth Five Year Plan, separately;

(b) the details of work completed so far on these projects; and

(c) the allocation/release of funds made for 2006-07 and 2007-08 for development of Tourism in Andhra Pradesh, indicating the names of such projects and the work plan formulated for each of these projects for the current and ensuing years?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM (SHRIMATI AMBIKA SONI): (a) to (c) Details of projects sanctioned and amounts released to Andhra Pradesh during the Tenth Five Year Plan including 2006-07 is given in the Statement *(See* below).

The implementation of the projects sanctioned by the Ministry of Tourism is the responsibility of the State Government. However, the Ministry of Tourism regularly monitors the progress of projects sanctioned for Central Financial Assistance.

For the year 2007-08 no project proposal, complete in all respect has been received from the Government of Andhra Pradesh so far.

Statement

List of projects sanctioned during the Tenth Five Year Plan for development of tourism in Andhra Pradesh.

(Rs. in lakh)

Sl. No.	Name of the Project	Amount Sanctioned	Amount Released
1	2	3	4
	2002-03		
1.	Vishaba Utsav and Indur Festival	7.50	6.00
2.	Paryatan Bhavan at Hyderabad	500.00	439.00
	TOTAL:	507.50	445.00.
	2003-04		
1.	Development of CDS on Tourist Destination	24.00	22.00
2.	Rural Tourism at Konaseema Village, East Godavari District	50.00	50.00
3.	Development of Nagar Junasagar under Buddhist	500.00	500.00
4	Development of VISTA Software for online Software	22.50	22.21

1	2	3	4
5.	Integrated Development of Amravati under Buddist Circuit	300.00	300.00
6.	Development of Pochampalli, Nalgonda District as a Rural Tourism Destination	50.00	40.00
	TOTAL:	946.50	934.21
	2004-05		
1.	Development of Bhadrachalam as Tourist Destination, Khammam	434.50	434.50
2.	Celebration of Kuchipudi Festival	3.92	1.96
3.	Celebration of Lumbini Festival	5.00	2.50
4.	Introduction of Southern India Tourist Train in Andhra Pradesh, LRG Project Feasibility Report	15.00	7.50
5.	Sea Cruise between Visakhapatnam Port Blair-Chennai under LRG-Preparation of Feasibility Report	15.00	7.50
6.	Taramati Baradari Cultural Complex in AP under LRG preparation of Feasibility Report	5.00	2.50
7.	Development of Village Shrikalahasti Dist. Chittor, AP under Rural Tourism .	50.00	40.00
8.	Integrated Development of Kurnool Tourism Circuit	800.00	640.00
9.	Integrated Development of Tourism Circuit, Hyderabad-Nalgonda-Khammam	797.47	637.98
10.	Destination Development of Bhavani Island, Krishna Dist., AP Development of Bhawani Island, Vijayawada	500.00	400.00
11.	Setting of Taramati Baradari Cultural Complex	62.50	62.50
12.	Development of Puttaparthi, Ananthpur Dist. As a Rural Tourism Destination	49.50	49.50
13.	Development of Chinchinada, East Godavari Dist As a Rural Tourism Destination	50.00	40.00
14.	GOI-UNDP Endogenous project at village Pochampalli, Nalgonda district	20.00	16.00
15.	GOI-UNDP Endogenous project at village Srikalahasti, Chittor district	20.00	16.00
	TOTAL:	2827.89	2358.44

1	2	3	4
	2005-06		
1.	Destination Development of Singur Dam,Andhra Pradesh	433.%.	347.00
2.	Destination Development of Night Bazaar, Shilparamam, Hyderabad	500.00	400.00
3.	Integrated Development of Lower Krishna Valley Buddhist Circuit	789.97	631.97
4.	Integrated Development of Araku-Vizag Tourism Circuit	771.86	617.50
5.	Development of Eco-Commerce Portal for IT Scheme	75.00	67.50
6.	Celebration of Hyderabad Carnival and Kalinga festival	20.00	16.00
7.	Celebration of Konaseema Festival in East Godavari	15.00	12.00
1	TOTAL:	2605.79	2091.97
	2006-07		
1.	CFA for development of Laknavaram Lake as Eco Tourism destination in Warangal District	468.63	337.90
2.	Integrated development of Beach Circuit	571.93	457.54
3.	Development of Golconda-Qutub Shahi Tomb-Hakimpet-Shaikpet Sarai- K.B. Museum-Premavathi Mosque	500.00	400.00
	Total	1540.56	1195.44
	GRAND TOTAL:	8428.24	7025.06

Development of tourist infrastructure in Himachal Pradesh

1027. SHRIMATI VIPLOVE THAKUR: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) the details of projects which have been started in order to develop tourist infrastructure in Himachal Pradesh during the current year;

(b) the details of Central financial assistance provided by the Central Government to Himachal Pradesh for the development of tourist infrastructure during the last three years; and

(c) the details of achievements made so far in this respect?